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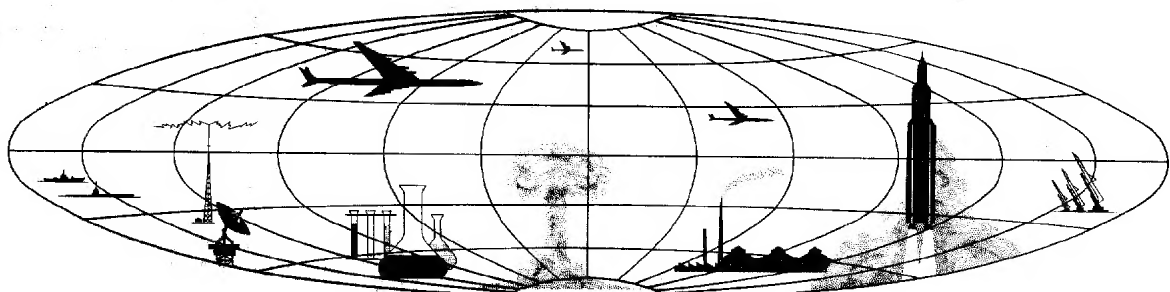


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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3591, DATED 6 MAY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

MARIEL SAM SITE 2300N 08249W

SITE CONTAINS 6 REVETTED LAUNCHERS, 7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD POSITION, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA.

25X1D

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GUERRA POSSIBLE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2300N 08250W

FORTY-SIX CRUISE-MISSILE-TYPE CRATES, 12 CANVAS-COVERED CRUISE-MISSILE-RELATED VEHICLES, AND APPROXIMATELY 105 OTHER UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1D

-AIRFIELDS-

SAN ANTONIO DE LOS BANOS AIRFIELD 2252N 08231W

AIRCRAFT -- 35 FISHBED, 4 FARMER, 19 FAGOT/FRESCO, 11 B-26, 3 T-6, AND 6 UNIDENTIFIED SINGLE-ENGINE AIRCRAFT.

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JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2300N 08224W

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AIRCRAFT -- 3 CAB, 3 CONSTELLATION, 3 C-54,  
2 BRITANNIA, 4 C-46, ONE COOT, ONE LODESTAR,  
ONE B-26, AND 2 LIAISON/TRAINER.

CAMPO LIBERTAD AIRFIELD 2306N 08226W

25X1D

AIRCRAFT -- 3 CRATE AND 2 CAB.  
OBLIQUITY, HAZE, AND SCATTERED CLOUDS PRECLUDE  
DETAILED INTERPRETATION.

MARIEL NAVAL AIR STATION 2300N 08246W

25X1D

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.  
SIXTY-SIX VEHICLES AND ONE LARGE AND ONE MEDIUM TENT  
OBSERVED AT EAST END OF RUNWAY.

PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD 2302N 08235W

25X1D

AIRCRAFT -- ONE CRATE, ONE CAB, 62 HOUND (ONE MINUS  
ROTORS), 6 HARE, 2 BELL HELICOPTER, AND APPROXIMATELY  
35 HELICOPTER CRATES.

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-PORTS-

MARIEL PORT 2301N 08245W

25X1D

VESSELS -- 12 KOMAR-CLASS PGMG (ONE OUTBOUND FROM  
PORT), 2 PF, 2 KRONSTADT-CLASS PC, ONE PROBABLE PT,  
2 LARGE FREIGHTERS (ONE PROBABLE LENINSKIY KOMSOMOL-  
CLASS AT MARIEL PIER WITH HATCHES OPEN, BOOMS ACTIVE,  
AND 21 FLATBED TRUCKS AND APPROXIMATELY 70 OTHER  
UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES IN AREA).

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SURGIDERO DE BATABANO PORT 2241N 08218W  
25X1D VESSELS -- ONE PC.

CABANAS PORT 2259N 08256W

25X1D VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.

BAHIA HONDA PORT 2255N 08311W

25X1D NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

LA FLORA AREA, MILITARY STORAGE 2252N 08233W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
APPROXIMATELY 23 VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1D

ARTEMISA, MILITARY CAMP 2251N 08248W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

LA BOCA, MILITARY CAMP 2301N 08242W

25X1D FOUR LARGE AND ONE SMALL TENT AND 27 VEHICLES  
OBSERVED.

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CABANAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2256N 08252W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
SIX VEHICLES OBSERVED.

HAVANA, AMMUNITION STORAGE AREA 2301N 08226W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
NO VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1D

TORRENS, MILITARY COMPLEX 2259N 08228W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

SPECIAL AREA VICTOR 2300N 08234W

25X1D CAMP LOCATED 1.2 NM NNW OF PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD  
CONTAINS 2 LARGE, 3 MEDIUM, AND 36 SMALL TENTS AND  
6 VEHICLES.

-MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY-

25X1A

BEJUCAL, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITES 2256N 08223W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE IN STORAGE SITES.  
APPROXIMATELY 45 VEHICLES OBSERVED IN HEADQUARTERS  
AREA (INCLUDING AN 8-TRUCK CONVOY).

CABANAS, SECURED AREA U/C 2258N 08258W

25X1D NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
THE 16 UNIDENTIFIED CRATES REMAIN.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE  
LAST COVERAGE --

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GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 1	2257N 08239W
GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 2	2257N 08236W
SPECIAL AREA ALPHA	2258N 08227W
SPECIAL AREA HOTEL	2301N 08246W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO BLUE	2250N 08233W
SPECIAL AREA BRAVO RED	2254N 08231W
SPECIAL AREA TANGO	2258N 08244W
LA BOCA, INDUSTRIAL CONSTRUCTION	2301N 08245W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT  
NOT INTERPRETED --

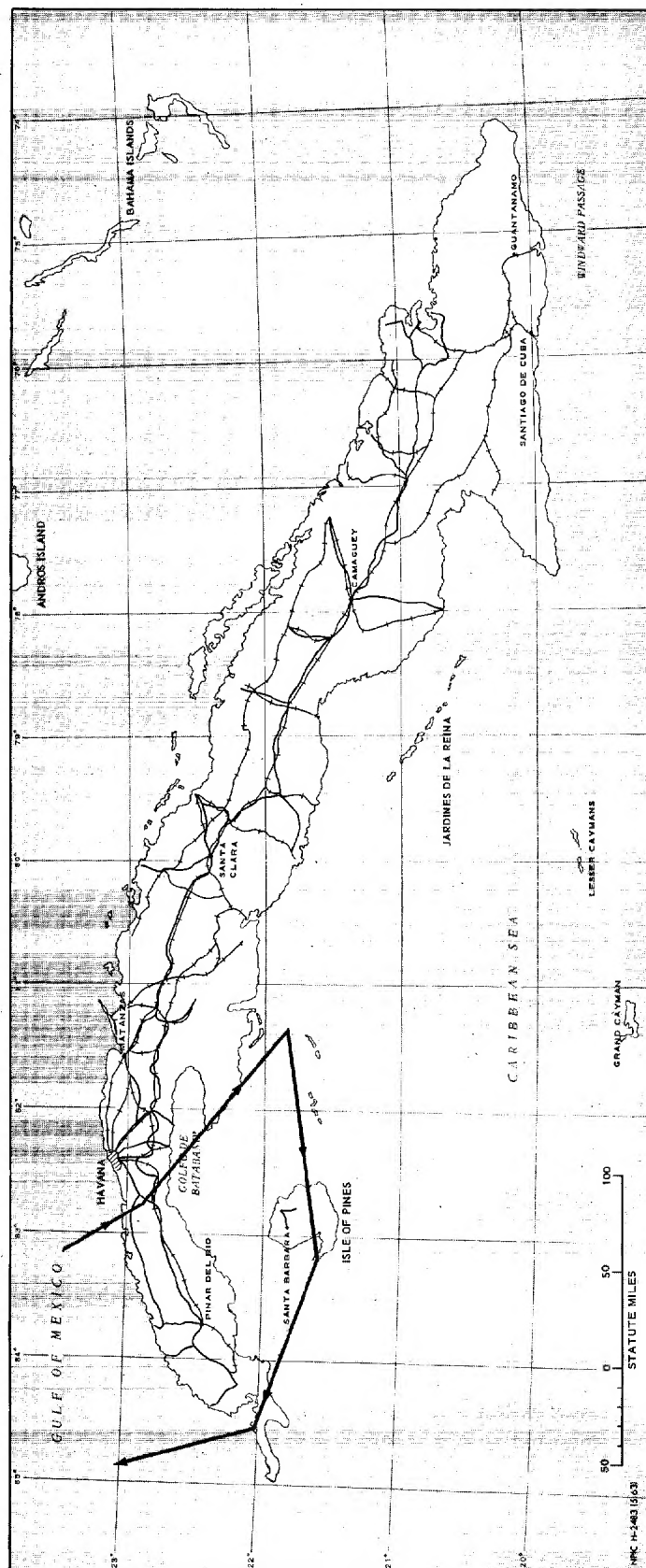
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SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 4	2246N 08258W
HAVANA SAM SITE	2309N 08213W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2257N 08221W
MANAGUA SAM SITE	2259N 08215W
MAJANA SAM SITE	2241N 08249W
MANAGUA AIRFIELD	2258N 08217W
HAVANA PORT	2308N 08221W
HAVANA AREA, COMMUNICATIONS CENTER	2300N 08226W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08220W
SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2255N 08210W
MANAGUA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08217W
NAZARENO, MILITARY AREA	2258N 08214W
GUANABACOA, MILITARY AREA	2307N 08215W
LOMA DE TIERRA, MILITARY CAMP	2301N 08213W
HAVANA AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2301N 08218W
TARARA LANDING BEACH	2310N 08212W
SAN FRANCISCO DE PAULA, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE	2303N 08218W
MANAGUA, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE	2258N 08218W

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